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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2001, Applicant provides the following amendments and remarks.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 19-20 and 22-23 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter.

Please amend claims 1 and 21 to read as set forth below.

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A file, comprising a body, said body comprising first and second sides, first and second edges, a first end, and at least one abrading surface, said abrading surface comprising at least one surface selected from the group consisting of an acid-etched surface and a sanded surface,